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second Gold Medal Award from the California Real Estate Association for greatest membership increase, percentage-wise, in this state. He stated that since the inception of multiple listing in this area, four years ago, the volume of real estate business has made tremendous gains.
PERRY CONNETT
Perry Connett, in his treasurer's report, revealed that the Board invested \$3,500 in United States Savings Bonds last year. He said also that the group has \$4,121 in assets and no liabilities. Total real estate sales of Board members totaled \$1,364,996.17 in 1951, the average sale being \$8,050, according to Connett.

In his acceptance speech at the close of the ceremony, Ryan urged his fellow members to get together and use the multiple listing service to the utmost. With this type of cooperation, he claimed that this year's real estate sales should pass the \$2 million mark.

CHELAN COUNTY WASHINGTON PICNIC
The annual picnic of Chelan County Washington Association, will be held in the club house at Silverado Park, Long Beach, Sunday, Jan. 27th. Basket dinner will be at 1 o'clock. Coffee served by committee. All former residents and visitors from Chelan County are invited.

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Appoint Millar to Canteen Job With Red Cross

Mrs. Don Hyde, chairman of the Torrance Branch, American Red Cross, announced today the appointment of Mrs. Melville E. Millar to the post of Canteen chairman, due to the resignation of Mrs. John Keefer who has held the chairmanship when Torrance Branch was reactivated in September 1950.
KEEFER SERVES
During World War II, Mrs. Keefer served in the Canteen as assistant chairman. For many years after the war was over, Torrance Branch assisted at hospitals and embarkation points. Since 1950, Canteen workers have been instrumental in making bloodmobile units successful here in Torrance.
They are "on call" at all times to serve in shelters located in various parts of Torrance in the event of any disaster.
Many canteen workers, who are all volunteers, have served thousands of hours of their own time and many more will be needed.

CANTEEN COURSE
From time to time Canteen courses have been available for those persons interested. You may contact the Red Cross at Torrance 3447 Monday through Friday to register in a class.
Mrs. Millar, a resident of Torrance for the past five years has served as a Staff Aide for a number of months. She is a past president of the Torrance Elementary PTA and a member of the Woman's Club.

Reelection
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1952. The Council just completed negotiation of the Television and Radio Technicians Agreement with Local 11-2 of the International Brotherhood of Electrical Workers, A. F. of L. Wage increases allowable under government regulations were granted. The employers rejected a request for a 1 percent per month pension fund. They negotiated into the contract a clause whereby a new employee is paid for the first 30 days .12 cents an hour less than the new journeyman rate of \$2.12.

OBITUARIES

Allie Elizabeth Bush of 1303 Cota avenue, died in her home recently. The 82-year-old woman was a twenty-six year resident of Torrance, and a native of Pella, Iowa. Funeral services were conducted by Rev. C. M. Northrup and Torrance Chapter No. 380 Order of Eastern Star at Stone & Myers Mortuary. Interment followed at Rose Hills Memorial Park.
Survivors are: her husband, William S. Bush of the Cota St. address; a daughter, Mrs. Merrill Allen of Redwood City, California, and a son, Leo J. of Monterey Park. Also surviving are three grandsons, three granddaughters, and one great-grandson.

Robert Moss Buys, aged 45, died recently in his home at 2460 Torrance Blvd. A native of Eureka, Utah, Buys had lived in Torrance for 25 years. He was employed locally as a printer.
Bishop Ted M. Wheat of the Church of the Latter Day Saints conducted funeral services at Stone & Myers Mortuary. Interment followed at Inglewood Park Cemetery.
Surviving are his wife, Mrs. Ruth Buys of the Torrance Blvd. address; four sons, Robert of Culver City, Jerrold, Ronald and Raymond, all of Los Angeles, and one sister, Mrs. Josephine Decker.

Frank X. Kaspar died last week in his home, 1736 Gramercy Avenue. He was 84 years old. A native of Bavaria, Kaspar had resided in Torrance for twenty-five years.
Mass was conducted in his honor at the Church of the Nativity, Rev. P. J. McGuinness officiating. Rosary service was held in the chapel of Stone & Myers Mortuary.
Interment took place after the service at All Soul's Cemetery in Long Beach.
Survivors are his wife, Mrs. Mary Kaspar of the Gramercy address; three sons, Paul of Midland, Texas, Roy of Rogue River, Oregon, and Victor of 22220 Denker Ave., Torrance, and five daughters, Mrs. Rose Tyra of Tucson, Arizona, Mrs. Edith Webster, Mrs. Ruth Hughes, Mrs. Eva Gilmore, all of Long Beach, and Mrs. Esther Kuithe of 1736 Gramercy. Also surviving are 11 grandchildren and 6 great-grandchildren.

Cora Elvira Albert, aged 85, died last week in her home at 223 Ave D, Redondo Beach. A native of Hastings, Michigan, she had resided in the beach city for five years. Private services were conducted by Rev. Hilton Sanders at the Angelus Abbey Mausoleum Chapel. Entombment followed the services.
Honorary pallbearers were Bernard Bunje, Otto A. Kresse, Ted Michale, H. E. Appenzeller, Steve Kral, R. R. Smith, D. J. Ukropina and O. B. Willett.
Survivors are: his wife, Alice, of 3715 Via Palomino; two sons, Don M. of the same address and David L. of Long Beach. Also surviving are two grandchildren, Bruce and Christina Roberts, and an aunt, Mrs. Gladys Rendall of East Lansing, Michigan.

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Co-op Nursery Accepts Pupils From Torrance

Parents of children who will be eligible for kindergarten enrollment in September are encouraged to consider the values of nursery school training prior to regular school attendance. Such training is offered by the Gardena Cooperative Nursery School which meets at the Community Center, 1651 Market Street, Gardena, each Monday through Friday from 9 to 11:00 a.m. Torrance parents who want to enroll their children are invited to visit the Nursery.
The school is part of a tremendous and popular nationwide movement to use group experience and abilities to help preschool children gradually and gently adapt themselves to the social life they will soon face in kindergarten and school.

COOP BASIS
The organization is operated on a cooperative basis by the parents of those children who are enrolled. All activities are conducted under the guidance of a skilled teacher with the assistance of the mothers, each of whom participates in the work of the school at regularly scheduled intervals. The fathers assist by maintaining and repairing the equipment used by the children. The school meets the standards set up by the California State Department of Social Welfare for nursery schools. Activity is carried on with due regard to the child as an individual, and specialized guidance is available from the teacher for those problems common to childhood.
The school program will also appeal to parents of younger children, particularly those youngsters who have few companions or who lack adequate opportunities for supervised, constructive play. Here the child works and plays with other children, and uses creative materials in connection with easel and finger painting, clay, scissors and construction paper, building blocks, and related activities. He can play dramatically and imaginatively with dress-up clothes, cooking utensils, sand, dough, and playhouse toys. He is able to develop his body and his coordination through the use of gym equipment and wheel toys, and he has the opportunity to learn about the world around him through field trips to places of interest to the preschool child.
The school can accommodate more pupils at this time. The young children 2 to 3 years of age meet on Tuesdays and Thursdays; the 3-year-olds on Monday, Wednesday and Friday; and the 4-year-olds attend on a 5-day a-week basis. Parents are cordially invited to make appointments for observing the school in operation. Those interested may contact Mrs. Phil Kelly, 13220 S. Vermont Ave., Gardena, ME 4-7474, for additional information or Torrance 2834-J.

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Red Cross Names Chairman for 1952

Lester T. King, insurance agent, 1407 Marcelina avenue, Torrance, this week was named 1952 Red Cross fund chairman for Torrance by John E. Fishburn, overall campaign chairman for the Los Angeles Red Cross.
Chairman King, who is a veteran of World War I, has previously served in various capacities in connection with the Red Cross Fund Drive in Torrance. While in the Army, he served in the 848th anti-aircraft battalion. King is active in the Torrance Kiwanis Club and the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks and has lived in the area since 1924.
FISHBURN APPOINTS
Making the appointment, Fishburn said that "at no time, other than in the midst of a worldwide war, has there been a greater or more compelling humane need for the people to meet through their Red Cross. For our Armed Forces alone it has been necessary to double the Red Cross field staff serving military installations, and with more and more young men being called into service, more and more servicemen's families are looking to Red Cross for help in emergencies."
Fishburn said that the local blood program, now providing life-saving blood for the military and sick and injured civilians in local hospitals, is facing increasing demands as military stockpiles are dwindling away and reserves of plasma against an emergency here at home are virtually nonexistent.

Contest
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drive will be used by the band for instruments and uniforms.
Two famous musical personalities have been engaged for the band's annual concert.
Clarence Sawhill, director of bands at the University of Southern California, will be the band's guest conductor and Robert Marsteller, first trombonist of the Los Angeles Philharmonic Orchestra, will be guest soloist.

Census
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by increased revenues from the State and County, in the amount of approximately \$60,000 per year, it is believed.
"All citizens are urged to cooperate with the census takers, as this project is for the benefit of our city," Stevens said. "Be sure that you and your family are counted in the census."

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Mock
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problem areas. He will also be in charge of making reports to the State.

NEW SUPERVISOR
The new bus supervisor has been with the City Bus Department since 1942. He started with a salary of \$155 per month. Increases at regular intervals soon brought his salary up to \$307.
Members of the interviewing committee that endorsed the hiring of Mock were administrative members Hull, Al Posner, Robert Cosby and Emmett Ingram.
Among the five top candidates were John Smith, John E. Mock, Raymond Speck, Charles Williams, and Howard Clark.
The other candidates included Don Sturges, Milo Gilbert, James Sullivan, Paul Drury, Orle Henry, Clyde Beck, N. W. Fox, John Selby.

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(Salary \$206.00 to \$241.00 per month)
All candidates must be citizens of the United States and bona fide residents of the City of Torrance for at least one year immediately preceding the date of filing applications.
Applications may be secured at the office of the Personnel Clerk, Room 2, City Hall, Torrance, Calif.
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